

DISTRICT REPORTS.

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BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.

Current.

Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	7.12	7.19	Quantity per rupee by the standard year of 80 tolas.
Ragi	14.23	15.47	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort)	...	7.47	

Agricultural operations.—Not ragi is being harvested.

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—The sowing of paddy is in progress in certain parts of Devanhalli Taluk. In some parts of Anekal Taluk, removing of weeds and lying up of the sugar-cane crops are going on.
State of standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, horse gram, avare, togari, samé, haraka, gingelly, navane, castor, are in a fair condition.
10. Prospects of the season are fair. Labour is available to the cooly classes. Food stocks are available.
11. Except for plague in certain parts of Bangalore, Doddballapur, Nelamangala, Anekal Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Paddy fields are being ploughed for Vaisakhi cultivation in parts of Kolar and Sidlaghatta Taluks. Horse gram is being sown in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet and Malur Taluks.
Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Samé in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Malur and Srinivasapur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk yield 4 to 12 annas; paddy and nat ragi in parts of Kolar Taluk yield 12 to 16 annas; ragi in parts of Gudibanda Sub-Taluk yield 8 to 12 annas; and sugar-cane in parts of Bagepalli Taluk yield 4 to 8 annas.
Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, avare and other dry crops are in good condition. The Amildars of Chintamani, Sidlaghatta and Chikballapur Taluks and the Deputy Amildar of Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, report that dry crops stand in urgent need of rain.
10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food stuffs are stationary. Labour is available to cooly classes.
11. Public health is generally good but for the prevalence of plague in parts of Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks and small-pox in parts of Chintamani Taluk.
12. 'Sappe roga' is prevailing in parts of Chintamani Taluk. Otherwise cattle are healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown*.—Bengal gram in parts of Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur Taluks; and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; horse gram in parts of Sira Taluk; cholam in parts of Sira Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; alasandi in parts of Tiptur Taluk are being sown.

Crops harvested.—Tumkur Taluk—baragu, navane; Maddagiri Taluk—ragi, sugar-cane, navane and baragu; Chiknayakanhalli Taluk—paddy and samé; Sira Taluk—ragi; Tiptur Taluk—groundnuts; Kunigal Taluk—sugar-cane; Koratagere Sub-Taluk—ragi, groundnuts and navane.

Standing crops.—Ragi, cholam, paddy, horse gram, castor, avare, chillies, togari, samé, groundnuts, navane, baragu, sugar-cane, haraka and til are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Holavanahalli of Koratagere Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for chappe roga, in parts of Koratagere Sub-Taluk, it is reported that cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*.—Ragi, avare, togari, horse gram, green and black grams, castor, navane, samé, haraka, Bengal gram, mulberry, chillies, alasandi, paddy and sugar-cane, are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for the prevalence of plague in parts of the taluks of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur and Heggaddevankote.

12. Except for the prevalence of mouth disease and chappe roga in parts of Heggaddevankote Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*.—Ragi, paddy, avare, togari, sugar-cane and horse gram in the Hassan Taluk; paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; paddy, sugar-cane, avare, togari, Bengal gram and chillies in the Arkalgud Taluk; dodda ragi, paddy, sugar-cane, togari and Bengal gram in the Belur Taluk; paddy, bingar crops, horse gram and sugar-cane in the Channarayana Taluk; ragi, avare, horse gram, groundnuts, paddy and sugar-cane in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar-cane, paddy, dodda ragi, horse gram, togari and avare in the Holé-Narsipur Taluk; paddy, sugar-cane, avare, horse gram and togari in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops sown.—Coriander and Bengal gram are being sown in the Arsikere Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar-cane in the Channarayana Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in the Belur and Halebid.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*.—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the taluks; ragi and cholam in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali; ragi in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi is being harvested in the Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks; paddy in parts of the Shimoga and Sorab Taluks and areca in the taluks of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirbahalli are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.
11. Except for plague in parts of Shimoga, Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks, and in the Shimoga Town, public health is generally good.
12. Except for rinderpest in parts of Channagiri, Shikarpur, Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; Metreroga in parts of Tirthahalli Taluk and Murrain in parts of Kumsi Sub-Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Standing crops*.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Paddy, gid ragi, sugar-cane, horse gram, coffee; Tarikere Taluk—ragi, paddy, cholam, togari, black and green grams, Bengal gram, horse gram and pepper; Koppa Taluk—paddy, areca, coffee and sugar-cane; Mudgere Taluk—paddy, ragi, coffee, cardamom and pepper; Narasimharajapur Sub-Taluk—paddy, areca and coffee. All these crops are reported to be in good condition, but areca crops is somewhat affected by 'Koleroga' in Sringeri Jahgir.
- Crops harvested*.—Tarikere Taluk—Cholam; Koppa Taluk—areca and cardamom; Mudgere Taluk—areca and cardamom; Narasimharajapur Sub-Taluk—paddy; Sringeri—areca.
10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.
11. Public health is generally good. Plague which prevailed in parts of Chikmagalur and Tarikere Taluks is reported to be on the decrease.
12. Doddaroga among cattle is reported to prevail in Naglapur and Narasimharajapur Town; Metreroga, Anthrax and ~~Rinderpest~~ in Hegganavalli and Chakkadige villages of Mudgere Taluk and a sort of epidemic disease in Yedadalu village of Koppa Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Standing crops*.—Cholam, ragi, cotton, horse gram, navane, saje, same, castor, togari, paddy, chillies, sugar-cane, beans and Bengal gram are reported to be in fair condition.
- Seeds sown*.—Wheat in the Jagalur Taluk and bilijola in the taluks of Holalkere and Davangere were sown during the week.
- Crops harvested and their outturn*.—Jagalur Taluk—Sesamum, 12 annas; Holalkere Taluk—ragi and cholam, 8 annas; Davangere Taluk—sesamum, ragi and cholam; Challakere Taluk—saje and navane, 4 to 8 annas; Chitaldrug Taluk—black and green grams, sesamum, cholam and ragi, 10 annas; Hiriyr Taluk—ragi, navane, cholam and sesamum, 8 annas.
10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.
11. Public health is generally good, except for the prevalence of plague in a few villages of Davangere Taluk.
12. Cattle are generally healthy, "Rinderpest" is reported to prevail in parts of Hosdurga Taluk. It is subsiding in the taluks of Challakere, Davangere and Holalkere. Water and fodder are available.

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